

Stone & Thomas. Stone & Thomas. **STONE & THOMAS.**
Welcome, Sir Knights!

Our Great Stores have been fittingly decorated for your reception; the store accommodations are at your disposal. A check room, where your surplus baggage will be taken care of for a day, or for the entire week if you wish; a waiting room especially reserved for visitors this week.
No importuning. Roam about the Big Store as you wish; buying is not necessary, though accommodating clerks are ready to give attention when desired, and many a handsome souvenir of the city and occasion may be selected. The low prices will be a revelation to most folks. It is this feature, in connection with the standard of high grade merchandise which this establishment handles, that has earned for it the title of a thoroughly satisfactory store. **HONOR US WITH A VISIT.**

Popular K. of P. Captains' Contest.

We will present to the Captain of any company in this city receiving the highest number of votes a Regulation Captain's Sword and Belt in a leather cover, satin lined case, on exhibition in our big show window, together with all other prizes offered by the committee. Each person making a purchase of 25c or over at our stores during this week is entitled to vote for their favorite Captain in this contest.

- K. of P. Flags.**
- Uniform Rank Flags, 24 by 36 inches, three colors, each 15c, or two for **25c**
 - Shield Flags, Escutcheon, in three colors, 24 by 36 inches, each 15c, or two for **25c**
 - Welcome K. of P. Flags; blue star borders, triangular is centre, 13x26, each **9c**
 - Bunting in K. of P. Colors; also U. S. Flags; all sizes and kinds.

Special Prices
prevail in every department for the week, that space prevents enumerating, worthy of your inspection.

Stone & Thomas. Geo. M. Snook & Co. **STONE & THOMAS.**
Geo. M. Snook & Co. **Snook & Co.**
We Extend Cordial Thanks



to the public for the liberal patronage bestowed during the entire past week, very much regretting our inability to serve everybody.
Watch Our Ads. Closely
for up-to-date fashions and unusual price happenings. Things for which this store is justly famous: Silks, Dress Goods, any kind of Ready Made Goods, Fancy Notions.
MONDAY thousands of dollars' worth of new goods to unpack for this week's selling.

A limited number of **"Fashions,"** the most noted fashion monthly, will be given to our patrons, free of cost, at the beginning of each month. Be sure to ask your salesperson for a copy.

Pythians
should not fail to visit our big stores this week; will do all in our power to make your call both pleasant and profitable.
Six Store Rooms, Main street through to Market, Nos. 1110, 1112 and 1114 Main and 1115 Market.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

J. & M. Shoes. **COSTLIEST, BUT THE BEST.**
The..... **J. & M.**
SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.
A full line in all leathers. Correct shapes. **ALEXANDER,**
Good Shoes. 1049 Main.
"Ideal" Shoes.

OUR NEW \$2.50 SHOE FOR WOMEN, "The Ideal"
Is attracting favorable comment. We are showing several new lasts this season. Many who have been wearing two dollar shoes find for the few cents additional they get a whole lot of extra style and fitting qualities, as well as more value.
Ask to see the "IDEAL" \$2.50, the famous Cincinnati made shoe.
NAY BROS.,
Rollable Shoes, 1317 Market St.

Nicoll's Art Store. **IF YOU HAVE DELAYED.....**
until the last moment the selection of some gift you had intended to make, we can help you, as our store contains many beautiful and appropriate gift pleasures ready for immediate delivery. Two Roses, by Virgil Tojetti, "Fleur de la Madras," "Aurora," by Guido Reni; a large selection of original water colors by well-known artists, and Copy Prints in endless variety of subjects and size. Do not miss seeing them.
NICOLL'S ART STORE,
1231 Market Street.

The Intelligencer
Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.
New Advertisements.
We Extend Cordial Thanks—Snook & Co.—Eighth page.
Special During This Week—White, Handley & Foster—Eighth page.
Just Opened a New Line of Lamps—John Friedel & Co.—Eighth page.
See Here, Men—Morton C. Stout & Co.—Fifth page.
Drivers' Sample Coats—McFadden's—Second page.
Always Think—The Hub—Second page.
Welcome, Sir Knights—Stone & Thomas—Second page.
Card to the Public—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Fifth page.
Sample Sale—G. Mendel & Co.—Second page.
What We Are Showing—Geo. R. Taylor Co.—Eighth page.
If You Want to Set Your Friends to Gossiping—Kraus Bros.—Fifth page.
If You Have Delayed—Nicoll's Art Store.—Eighth page.
Order of Publication.
West Virginia Gas and State Business Directory.
Grocery For Sale—Rolf & Zane.
Wanted—Coach Makers.
Wanted—Sailmakers.
For Sale—Residences—Simpson & Tatum.
For Rent—Chas. McMull.
Invitation to Bidders.
Grand Opera House.
Wanted—Apples for Cider.
For Sale—Tennessee Phosphate Lands.
20,000.
We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.
JACOB W. GRIFFIN, Optician,
No. 1806 Market Street.

FALL STOCK—FINE TAILORING.
Your attention invited to our large and handsome line of Fall Woollens—all entirely new designs and many exclusive novelties of which we are sole agents. The styles are up and fashionable appearance of our garments recommend themselves. Prices reasonable.
C. H. ZEISS & SONS,
Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1841-1843 Market Street.
Engineer Woodcock Dies.
Engineer Claude Woodcock, who was injured in the freight wreck, east of Elm Grove, Thursday night, died at the North Wheeling hospital Saturday morning, and the remains were removed to the deceased's home, Glenwood, Pa., Saturday evening. Brakeman B. F. Brandt, who suffered an injured shoulder left on the same train for his home, also in Glenwood.

"Donation Day" a Success.
A gratifying success was the annual fall "Donation Day" of the King's Daughters' Day Nursery, Saturday. The Market street institution attracted many visitors and donations of cash, clothing, fruits, vegetables, etc. The visitors were entertained by the finance committee, composed of Mrs. William Fee, Mrs. Kate Williams, Miss Lizzie Swift, Mrs. George Ebeling, Mrs. J. J. Haigh, Mrs. T. C. Burke and Mrs. Tillie Nelson. The nursery is in a flourishing condition. During the year ending September 1, 2,134 children were cared for. Donations were received from the following:
Mrs. Maria Horkheimer, Miss Agnes Wilson, Mrs. Otto Hess, Miss M. C. Wilson, Miss Carrie Cobb, Miss Lizzie Swift, Whatsoever Circle, Centre School, Wheeling Bakery, Redeker Bros., Mrs. Louis Bertschey, Mr. Ackert, Mrs. William Fee, Miss Jessie Moffat, Mrs. E. L. Stone, Mrs. George B. Caldwell, Miss Martha Caldwell, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. Robert Kyle, Miss Flora Eisenberg, Miss Annie Johnson, Mrs. Lohse, Miss Annie Lohse, Miss Annie Myers, Mrs. Howard Hazlett, Miss Lula Franzell, H. F. Behrens Company.
K. of P. Cards.
Embossed K. of P. Address Cards at reasonable prices at the Intelligencer office.
Many different styles to select from.
Flatulence is cured by **BEECHAM'S PILLS**

THOBURN FAVORS EXPANSION.
The Veteran East India Missionary Bishop of the M. E. Church Would Take in All
THE ISLANDS OF THE PACIFIC.
The High Mission of the English Speaking Peoples is to Advance Christianity.

Bishop J. M. Thoburn, who for over forty years has been connected with mission work in India, and who, by the way, was born in St. Clairsville, and is a brother of the late Colonel Thoburn, of civil war fame, filled the pulpit at both services yesterday at Fourth Street M. E. church. In his evening discourse, he was greeted by a large congregation, which heard a most interesting discourse, one filled with the prophecies of the responsibilities America must assume.
After sketching the progress of the missionary movement in India, Bishop Thoburn turned to the Philippine Islands, and instanced Christianity's advancement in Manila since its occupation by American troops. The bishop, without affecting any credit for it, stated that he believed he was the first to call the attention of the United States to these islands, doing so in 1887 in a letter to an American magazine. Later, attempts to locate Protestant missionaries there resulted in one of the number being imprisoned, and finally in Spanish tyranny forbidding any further efforts. Bishop Thoburn still held to the hope of mission work in the Philippines, but of all the nations to open the door to religious toleration, the American was the last one he had expected.

Bishop Thoburn was in London when Dewey's victory at Manila occurred, and he graphically described the excitement its announcement created. The English papers came out with crossed flags, the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. Incidentally, the bishop said that the English-speaking people were providentially called, and to them will fall the lot of the advancement of Christianity and civilization. He described the services he instituted in Manila, in an old Filipino theatre, and he was pleased to state that they were being conducted every Sunday. There were already twenty-six Filipino converts, of whom twenty-two were men. There had been also established a soldiers' and seamen's institute, whose accommodations offset the saloons.

The Philippine question was not a political or a military one. "It is a question of interpreting the footsteps of God," said Bishop Thoburn. Continuing, he said that supremely great were the future responsibilities of the American people. He did not believe the mission would halt with the Philippines. Ultimately, American influences must continue westward until all of the islands of the Pacific get in touch with higher forms of government and a knowledge of the Gospel. The bishop noted the extent of the trade of this country with China and Japan, and in pleasing retrospect he recalled how, when forty-one years ago, he left Centre Wheeling in a bus to go to Bridgeport, there to take a train on his first journey to India, how few were the countries in Europe, Asia and South America open to the Protestant missionary.

This country was only feeling but part of its coming responsibilities, he continued, and it was due that this young nation shall spread the Gospel's light; that the Philippine question was the outcome of Providence, and it was but the beginning of a wider expansion.

A LARGE CONCOURSE
Of Friends and Relatives at Funeral of "Mother" Holliday
A large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends participated in the last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Lydia W. Holliday, known affectionately as "Mother" Holliday, on Saturday afternoon. The services were held at the residence of Mr. Henry C. Holliday, and were in charge of Rev. C. M. Oliphant, of the First Christian church, assisted by Rev. S. O. Naylor, of the Second Christian church, and Rev. Joseph Speers, of the Second Presbyterian church.
Members of the Holliday and Stephens posts, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief Corps attended. The deceased in her ministrations as an army nurse and the interest she displayed always in the "boys in blue" was endeared to the veterans, and at their request the casket was wrapped in an American flag, during the ceremonies at the house. There were many beautiful floral tributes, among them a pillow from Holliday post, bearing the inscription, "The Soldiers' Friend." The interment was at Mt. Wood.
THE chairmen of the various booths are requested to meet at Mrs. Zeigensfelder's parlors on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to make final arrangements for the coming "Carnival of Authors."

\$10.50. Chicago and Return, \$10.50. via Wheeling & Lake Erie. Return limit October 14. Three trains daily.
Pittsburgh Exposition Excursion Next Thursday.
via Pennsylvania lines from Wheeling, good returning until Saturday, October 14. Damrosch New York Symphony Orchestra will be at the exposition.

PROF. H. SHEFF,
The Scientific Optician.....
Corner Main and 11th Sts.
When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office.
Do you have headaches? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading?
For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

The Hub Clothiers. **ALWAYS THINK**
before you act; but don't think too long. The time to think about Fall Clothes was last week; it is now time to act. Come right here and buy. If you are not satisfied when you think again we will cheerfully refund the money.
We are doing the largest Overcoat business in our history, because we are offering greater value for less money than elsewhere.
\$6.48.

At this price we are offering a beautifully finished, all-wool, black, blue and brown Kersey, also light color Covert Cloth Overcoat, handsomely tailored throughout, style and fit perfect.
\$10.00.

A high grade wool Overcoat, handsomely lined with real, all wool Farmer's satin or serge lining, sleeves lined with good quality guaranteed satin, fine silk velvet collars, guaranteed satin, fine silk velvet collars, guaranteed not to crock, wear off or soil the linen of the wearer. This is positively the most dependable overcoat we have yet offered at this price, Kerseys, Coverts, Meltons and Worsteds.
\$15.00.

At this price we give you unrestricted choice of the swiftest Overcoats that have been offered this season. Handsome All Wool Coverts, fancy body linings, woven in the fabric, satin sleeve linings and broad satin piping. Or perhaps you prefer a soft, richly finished, high grade, Kersey or Chinchilla. The lining of these garments is equal in every respect to high standard merchant tailoring. Swell dressers should see ours before making a selection.
That boy who's hardest on his clothes, bring him here. We have the kind that wear, and he'll like 'em, too.

STRICTLY ONE PRICE. **THE HUB,** CLOTHIERS, HATTERS, FURNISHERS.
Market and Fourteenth Streets.
Geo. R. Taylor Co. Geo. R. Taylor Co.

GEO. R. TAYLOR COMPANY.
What We Are Showing.
Some extremely pretty NEW SILK PETTICOATS, in all the latest colorings and black, made with hemmed and pinked ruffles, accordion plaited flounces and marabout edging. Price, \$6.50 to \$18.00.
Opera Flannels
for the new style shirt waist to wear under your coats, and suitable for house jackets. In all the plain and fancy colorings.
Ladies' Lingerie.
The newest and daintiest designs in COMBINATION GARMENTS, matched sets and separate pieces.
In Our Made-Up Garments
you will find the choicest styles and fabrics, and the best of workmanship in our line of TAILORED GOWNS, VELVET MANTLES, CLOTH JACKETS, WALKING SKIRTS, GOLF CAPES, SMALL FURS.

GEO. R. TAYLOR COMPANY.
John Friedel & Co. John Friedel & Co.
...JOHN FRIEDEL & CO...
JUST OPENED A NEW LINE OF BANQUET LAMPS, HANGING LAMPS, CUT GLASS WARE, and a lot of fancy CHINA DISHES, **ALL AT VERY LOW PRICES**

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO...
1119 MAIN STREET.
White, Handley & Foster. White, Handley & Foster.
SPECIAL. DURING THIS WEEK WE OFFER A FINE LINE OF Folding Beds, Rockers and Lamps AT SPECIAL PRICES.
A \$65 SEWING MACHINE \$45.00.
Save \$20.00 by buying your machine from us.

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2245 MARKET STREET.
FRANK & FOSTER, Receivers.
Locke Shoe Company. Locke Shoe Company.

Money and Shoes
are both necessities—one as much as the other. We require very little of your money for a great deal of value in our shoes.
Men's Genuine Box Calf and Russian Calf, leather lined and three heavy soles, the greatest winter shoe in Wheeling, at **\$2.50.**
LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.